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## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed May 25, 2004. A Request for Continued Examination is being filed simultaneously herewith. The extension fee in the amount of \$110.00 is included in the total fee for filing the Request for Continued Examination and Excess Claim Fee Payment Letter for the above-identified application, a check for which accompanies this submission. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully submitted,

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